

LAW OFFICES FEB 21 2006

MORTON J. ROSENBERG
DAVID I. KLEIN
JUN Y. LEE
RAJIV S. SHAH *

PATENT AGENTS
DAVID R. WOOD

* PA and DC Bars

ROSENBERG, KLEIN & LEE
CHARTERED

3458 ELLICOTT CENTER DRIVE
ELLICOTT CITY, MARYLAND 21043

PHONE (410)-465-6678 OR (410)-465-MORT

TELEFAX (410)-461-3067

INTERNET: rkl@rklpatlaw.com

PATENT, TRADEMARK & COPYRIGHT MATTERS

PATENT RESEARCH
SPECIALISTS

JOHN V. PRESTIA
RAYMOND J. DUDEK
EVA BURDMAN
RUSSELL SCHUMANN
KEVIN PHILIPS

DATE: February 21, 2006 TIME SENT: _____

TOTAL PAGES (INCLUDING COVER SHEET): eleven (11)

ATTENTION: Examiner J. J. Johnson Art Unit # 1725

TO: U.S. Patent and Trademark Office

TO FAX NUMBER: 1-571-273-8300

TRANSMITTING FROM: ROSENBERG, KLEIN & LEE

Facsimile Number: 410-461-3067
Telephone Number: 410-465-6678

OUR DOCKET NO. MR2799-8/DIV APPLICATION SERIAL NO. 10/700,586

PLEASE NOTIFY US AT ONCE IF NOT RECEIVED PROPERLY.

ADDITIONAL COMMENTS:

FORMAL COMMUNICATION FOR ENTRY:

Forwarded is an Amendment responsive to Office Action dated October 18, 2005 for filing and processing.

Morton J. Rosenberg
Registration No. 26,049

FEB-21-2006 17:17

ROSENBERG KLEIN AND LEE

RECEIVED

CENTRAL FAX CENTER

410 461 3067

P.02/11

MR2799-8/DJV

FEB 21 2006

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant: C. Paul Christensen, et al. : Group
Serial No: 10/700,586 : Art Unit # 1725
Filed: 05 November 2003 : Examiner:
Title: METHOD AND SYSTEM FOR LASER
MARKING A GEMSTONE : J. J. Johnson

AMENDMENT

Honorable Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

This is responsive to the outstanding Official Action dated 18 October 2005. A Request for one month extension of time and the necessary fee have been submitted concurrently with this Amendment. Please amend the above-referenced Patent Application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the Listing of Claims which begin on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 4 of this paper.